

## California Department of Transportation

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## Route 44 Median Barrier Project

Project Purpose: To improve safety along State Route 44 between Victor Avenue and just east of

Airport Road by extending the median barrier that currently ends at Victor Avenue. The barrier will eliminate the potential of head-on collisions, provide a wider paved median shoulder and further enhance safety by providing an area for emergency

parking.

<u>Project Description:</u> Installation of a three mile concrete median barrier from the Victor Avenue over

crossing to the end of the four lane freeway just east of the Airport Road

Interchange in the City of Redding.

Project Cost: \$5 Million

**Project Timeline:** Construction during the summer/fall 2006

<u>Current Status:</u> The Project was awarded to Tullis Inc. out of Redding

**Funding Sources:** SHOPP/Dept. of Transportation State Highway Account

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